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HONGKONG, MONDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1922.

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## BUSINESS NOTICES

  
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WINE MERCHANTS. Tel. Cen. 636.

**ULLMANN'S**  
GREAT REDUCTION SALE  
**ENDS**  
TUESDAY, the 31st October, 1922.

## TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Router's Service to the China Mail.)

### ITALIAN TURMOIL.

#### FASCIST LEADER PREMIER.

##### MILAN MARTIAL LAW.

LONDON, October 29.

News from Italy is somewhat conflicting. The Italian Embassy at Paris announces that the situation in Italy is tranquil. It is privately reported in Paris that a new Italian ministry has been formed with the majority Fascist members, but according to the *Giornale d'Italia*, Signor Salandra has been requested to form a Cabinet. He asked time to consider his reply. Meanwhile Signor Mussolini, who is at Milan, has issued a proclamation that the Fascist military command has assumed the direction of affairs. Mussolini declared his readiness to form a Cabinet if he were called by the King.

The *Matin*, in a message from Milan reports that martial law has been proclaimed at Milan. All meetings have been forbidden and all permits to carry arms have been cancelled. A number of Fascists from outside have been arrested for illegally carrying arms.

##### STATE OF SIEGE.

Motor traffic has stopped but the trams are running a restricted service. Public services generally have been suspended. Shops are closed. The city is calm.

The Fascists have taken possession of the office of the *Popolo d'Italia* where they have installed their headquarters and erected sandbag barricades around the building. They have also taken over the Polytechnic and Bersaglieri Barracks.

Military forces have been placed with machine guns at strategic points. The Royal Guards and Carabinieri are guarding the approaches to the central square where all traffic has stopped. The Royal Guards and Carabinieri are also guarding the Via San Marco where the Fascist headquarters are situated. All troops except those on duty have been confined to barracks. The Fascists claim to have taken possession of several towns.

##### ROME NORMAL.

ROME, October 29.

All the newspapers endorse the King's refusal to sign the martial law order.

The city is normal in appearance to-day. Trams and other vehicles are circulating as usual.

There were some disturbances directed against the premises of anti-Fascist newspapers.

BURKINSHAW, October 29.

The Foreign Minister, M. Duce, will represent Rumania at the Near East conference.

ROME, October 29.

Following the refusal of Signor Salandra to form a ministry, the King has asked the Fascist leader, Signor Mussolini, to form a cabinet.

##### FASCIST SUCCESS.

ROME, October 28.

Hitherto the Fascist uprising has been almost entirely bloodless. The successes and momentum of the movement can be attributed to widespread support, including the greater part of the army and navy.

The Fascist claim to control Tuscany and Umbria. They are now encircling towns in Basilicata and Calabria.

Disregarding the military order, the Fascists continue to wear uniforms in Rome where a parade of the streets was acclaimed by the populace.

The Fascist headquarters were later returned to the owners, amidst frantic enthusiasm. Trams and buses started again to-day.

The city resumed its normal aspect until the afternoon when bodies of Fascists came into conflict with Communists. This resulted in one person being killed and several wounded.

Telegrams from the provinces report further seizures of public buildings, but no further fighting.

##### POSSIBLE NEW CABINET.

ROME, October 30.

Mussolini has refused to participate in any cabinet but apparently is willing to form one himself, keeping the portfolios of the interior and foreign affairs to his own hands and distributing the remaining portfolios among the various parties, including the Catholics.

It is expected that when Mussolini is formally entrusted with the formation of a cabinet, possibly to-day, there will be no further Fascist action. In order to supply thousands of Fascist troops camped around Rome the Fascist leaders have requisitioned all available motor conveyances, including buses plying between Rome and the surrounding country. These vehicles can be seen leaving the city full of sacks of bread without interference by the police whose attitude is sympathetic.

## THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/5 11/16.  
To-day's opening rate 2/5 11/16.

### ITALIAN TURMOIL.

#### KING'S ACTION PRAISED.

ROME, October 29.

When Rome awoke yesterday morning the only sign of impending excitement were the cessation of trains, trams and all means of locomotion, while bridges were being watched, and various quarters were closed with barbed wire. Cavalry, artillery, and armoured cars dominated the strategic points of the city. Troops occupied the Fascist headquarters.

General Pugliese issued a proclamation forbidding gatherings and processions, also the wearing of uniforms. An ultimatum reached a climax when the proclamation of a state of siege was posted up, but shortly afterwards the proclamation was rescinded on account of the King's refusal to sign it on the ground that such measures were ill-considered. He was anxious to take any step obliging the soldiers to fire on their fellow subjects. Thousands of Fascist and Nationalist in characteristic uniform marched in military formation to the Quirinal Palace where their spokesmen thanked the King for his action. The King replied, expressing his appreciation of the demonstration of loyalty.

### NEAR EAST.

#### RUSSIA'S POSITION.

##### LENIN'S FIAT.

LONDON, October 29.

The first interview with Lenin since his illness, is published in the *Observer* from its Moscow correspondent. It says that Lenin appeared to be full of life and health.

He declared the Soviet aimed at friendship with both England and France. If Russia and the federated states were not allowed to participate in the Near East conference, it would open the possibility of peaceful development in Europe. Limitation of Russian participation to the question of the Straits would inevitably lead to economic friction which might hit France and England in the Near East.

The future Russian programme included satisfaction of the national aspirations of Turkey, closing the Straits to all armed ships in peace as well as in war, and full freedom for commercial shipping. The Soviet opposed the League of Nations controlling the Straits.

### FLAME AND EXPLOSION.

#### AMSTERDAM EXPLOSION.

AMSTERDAM, October 29.

The explosion at Oldbrook (reported in the earlier cables) occurred in very favourable conditions. The clouds were high and the atmosphere was clear. There was a light frost and no strong wind.

Five thousand kilograms of ammonium perchlorate piled on the outer three metres deep were exploded by means of an electric wire. A column of fire and smoke shot up to a great height with a noise like a thunderclap. This lasted several minutes. Not a tree or a plant was left standing in an area of 150 metres round the crater which was now nine metres deep.

PARIS, October 29.

Thousands were on the quai yesterday afternoon for the Oldbrook explosion, but nothing was heard. Even the most delicate instruments were not affected.

### FRENCH RAILWAY SMASH.

#### EXPRESS HITS GOODS TRAIN.

PARIS, October 29.

Ten persons were killed and injured in a collision between the Brex express and a goods train in the station of Chatel Andrieux in Cote du Nord.

### N.Y.K.'S NEW SERVICE.

#### HONGKONG TO LONDON IN 38 DAYS.

Commencing with the *Suwa Maru*, which sailed hence on October 23 for Europe, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha are initiating a quicker mail, passenger, and freight service between the Far East and Europe than hitherto maintained. This should be gratifying to passengers and shippers.

Formerly the duration of voyage between Hongkong and Europe was as follows:—

Hongkong to Marseilles 33 days

London 40

Marseilles to Hongkong 31

London 39

Under the present accelerated service, with the same stops at way ports, the time is as follows:—

Hongkong to Marseilles 30 days

London 38

Marseilles to Hongkong 29

London 37

All steamers are now scheduled to leave Hongkong on a Wednesday

instead of Friday, and steamers of the *Kamo Maru* type will only call at Malacca.

### HIGHWAY ROBBERS.

#### EUROPEAN LADY LOSES WRIST WATCH.

Walking up Wongachong Gap Road alone at 10.30 yesterday morning, Mrs. Blackmore, of No. 7, Broadwood Road, was stopped by three highwaymen. While two men held her arms, the other stole her gold wrist watch worth \$80. All three men then left the road, and were later followed to Wongachong village.

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made of a superior quality White Cotton Mesh in a weight most suitable for present wear.

A "Union Suit" of underwear is undoubtedly the most comfortable. No "wrinkling" up of the vest or "ragging" down of the pants.

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Our designed have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on  
**WEDNESDAY, November 1, 1922,**  
commencing at 2.45 p.m.  
at No. 33, Orient Buildings (Top floor)  
A Quantity of  
Valuable Household Furniture,  
(Full Particulars from Catalogue).  
On view on day of sale.  
Terms:—Cash on delivery.  
**LAMMERT BROS.,**  
Auctioneers  
Hongkong, October 28, 1922.

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## SHADOWS BEFORE

COMING EVENTS ADVERTISED  
IN THE "MAIL."

## ENTERTAINMENTS.

October 30.—Coronet Theatre;  
Mao March in "Sunshine Alley."  
World Theatre: "Monroe Salisbury in  
The Sleeping Lion." Kowloon  
Theatre: "The Russian Follies."  
Theatre Royal: "A Week-end." 9.15  
p.m. Pianoforte Recital, by Harry  
Cire, assisted by Eric Rice 5.30 p.m.  
October 31.—Theatre Royal: "The  
Young Person in Pink."  
November 1.—Theatre Royal;  
Other People's Worries."  
November 2.—Theatre Royal;  
"Charley's Aunt."  
November 3.—Theatre Royal; "Her  
Husband's Wife."  
November 4.—Theatre Royal;  
"Tilly of Bloomsbury."

## PUBLIC AUCTION SALES.

October 31.—Hughes and Hong,  
valuable teakwood and blackwood  
furniture, household sundries, a few  
black-ties, travelling rugs and sundry  
household linen, one piano (by M. E.  
Rachalsand Co.), one Oliver typewriter,  
Sax's Rooms, 2.30 p.m.  
November 1.—Lammert Bros., a  
quantity of valuable household  
furniture, No. 33, Orient Buildings  
(Top floor), 2.45 p.m.

## COMPANY MEETINGS.

November 9.—China Light and  
Power Coy. (1918) Ltd. fourth  
ordinary annual meeting, St. George's  
Building, 11 a.m.

## SPORTING EVENTS.

November 18.—Fifth Gymkhana  
of the Hongkong Jockey Club.

## HONGKONG HEIGHTS.

For the information of visitors to  
following list of some of the highest  
points on the Island and Mainland is  
published:—

ISLAND.	FEET
Signal Station.	1774
Mt Parker.	1754
Mountain Lodge.	1720
The Eerie.	1720
Peak Hotel.	1505
Tai Koo Sanatorium.	1000
Ble. Davis.	877
Rowen Rd. (Siberbeds).	393
MAINLAND.	FEET
Taimoehan.	3124
Komoon Peak.	1971
Lion Rock.	1646
Sabat Pass.	1000
Custom Pass.	780
Devil's Peak.	724

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Avoided.

Diphtheria is usually contracted when  
the child has a cold. The cold prepares  
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development of the diphtheria germ.  
When there are cases of diphtheria in  
the neighborhood of children, those who  
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pages.

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K. SAKI,

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Herald.

At one of the biggest of these  
Grasse establishments we were  
obligingly given a welcome by perhaps  
the most popular maker of all.

You are shown into a large room  
where the blossoms are heaped up  
high on broad tables. It all depends  
upon the season as to which flowers  
will be most in evidence, the white  
orange blossoms of early spring, the  
red roses of high summer, or the  
violets of mid-winter. From here one  
passes into the larding rooms. "Little  
pigs and fine flowers." Yes, that is  
the astonishing blend of beauty and  
the beast. It is from this combination  
of elements that are born the  
essential oils and essences of fine  
perfumes.

"The best and healthiest of young  
porkers is the first requisite for the  
extraction of perfumes," your  
cicerone will assure you, "and the  
only the fatty slab sides are used."  
The white lard is carefully stripped  
from the lean, resembling white tissue  
paper, as transparent as gauze.

## FOR THE TEMPLE OF BEAUTY.

These white tissues of lard are laid  
in great, shallow pans and over them  
are sprinkled the petals of flowers,  
each variety distinct unto itself.  
These tray-like pans are then taken  
to the rooms where, lined up in rows,  
are the copper alambics with their  
enaky coils, and all the mysterious  
apparatus of a laboratory of the old  
time alchemist for distilling his  
potions, these only a trifle more  
modern, in appearance at least.

Here, after the layers of Irish pork  
fat are thoroughly impregnated with  
the odours of the blossoms that carpet  
them, the mass of perfume dard is put  
into the stills, when, drop by drop,  
through zig-zag copper coils, the  
essence, the sweet soul of the flowers,  
is arrived at. And through the aid of  
pork fat—curious vehicle for the most  
valuable of the altar accessories that  
adorn that temple of beauty and art  
—the modern woman's dressing table.  
At this first distillation does not  
come forth the wonderful scent which  
we have always believed French per-  
fumes to be from their birth. Not by  
any means is this so. A perfume is a  
creation; indeed, of many component  
parts and as intricate an assemblage  
as are any creations.

The first essay at the liquefaction  
of an odour is a very crude  
beginning. Anybody could carry the

8-80-800.  
RECORD OF FAMOUS LAND'S  
END VILLAGE.

The small Cornish parish of Sennen,  
the most westerly in England, has a  
remarkable record of longevity.

The total population of the parish,  
which includes Land's End, does not  
exceed 800, and there are at present  
living in it eight persons, aged, re-  
spectively, 95, 95, 92, 92, 90, 85, 85,  
and 82—a total of 716 years.

It is claimed that the record of five  
nonagenarians and three octogenarians  
in a parish of the size of Sennen can-  
not be equalled even in Devon, where  
the hardworking fisherfolk are a virile  
and long lived race.

procedure a certain part of the way.  
The art, as well as the secret of the  
art, of the perfume maker lies in the  
subtle blending of these various  
essences in a h'ol marriage and  
just proportions. Here is where the  
perfume makers of Grasse take their  
proper place as the greatest master  
perfumers of the world.

FLOWER SOUL-MATES.  
The curious fact is that no single  
commercially known perfume is the  
essence of any one single  
flower. Evidently each flower  
has not only one soulmate but  
many soulmates. Most polyamorous  
are perfume 1. For example, a violet  
perfume requires the admixture of  
three or four "essences" of as many  
different flowers before the captivat-  
ing breath of dewy violets is given  
out to charm the olfactory sense.

One of the biggest features of this  
Grasse perfume industry is the dis-  
tillation of these essences, in their  
simple forms, selling them in bulk, in  
demijohns and detigons and, because  
to the wholesale perfume makers, the  
fabricators and the second fusion  
operators throughout the world. It  
is they for the most part who concoct  
the commercially well known blends  
from their own recipes and paste their  
traditional trade-marks and labels  
on outglass flacons and exotic  
lined crines.

So it is that the neroli, the orange  
essence of the orange flower, is the big  
output of the Grasse factories, as it is  
the basis of a large majority of per-  
fumes, especially that which is  
popularly known as can de Cologne—  
at least that which is recognized as  
the "type." Grasse to-day produces  
an eau de Cologne that can more than  
compare with that of the famous  
trade-marked German articles of before  
the war, which latter, by the way, as  
its name indicates, to those who recall  
what was supposed to be the genuine  
article, was nothing German at all  
originally but Italian.

## SKIN FASHIONS.

FISH FOR SHOES AND MOLE  
FOR FURS.

Women's shoes are now being made  
from the skin of the sea-leopard, who  
belongs to the porpoise family.

The shoes resemble brown leather  
ones, but have spots on them about  
the size of sixpences. The prices are  
from four guineas upwards.

"Sharks' skins are also being used  
for women's golfing shoes, and they  
make very pretty ones, being dark  
brown and tan in colour." A reporter  
was told by a shoemaker, "Snake  
skin shoes are being largely worn;  
they are comfortable and keep the  
wet out."

Evidence that moleskins are to  
enjoy another boom is seen  
in the high prices being offered to  
gamekeepers, trappers, and other  
"collectors" for clear, full-furred  
skins.

A chilling each is the present offer  
for best quality skins, and 3d. for  
"seconds."

The point that countrymen chiefly  
note is that no intensity of trapping  
due to high offers for skins appears to  
reduce the number of moles in the  
country. There are many areas of  
England now badly infested with  
moles, and these animals, being par-  
ticularly thirsty creatures, were driven  
by last year's drought into many dis-  
tricts where they were not previously,  
but now are a plague.

The mole provides our best native  
fur and on the other hand, in gardens  
he is the worst of pests and in ex-  
cessive numbers on the land an enemy  
of the crops generally.

On the whole accounts the fashion-  
able of his fur is a good thing.  
While 1s. is offered for the best mole  
skins up to 12s. is the price for the best  
fox and 5s. for the best badger skins.

## FLYING CARDINALS.

20 MINUTES' JOY-RIDE IN AN  
AEROPLANE.

Cardinals Tacchi and Banditi made  
history by being the first high dig-  
nities of the Church to ride in an  
aeroplane. The "cardinals" came to  
Lureto being entertained by the Pope  
to accompany the new statue of the  
Madonna.

After the end of the religious cere-  
monies they expressed a desire to  
assist at the military flying display  
which was being held in the town.  
The military authorities invited them  
to take a ride in a machine and the  
cardinals accepted with enthusiasm.

After about a 20 minutes flight the  
cardinals landed among cheering on-  
lookers. They expressed themselves  
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Hongkong, October 27, 1922.

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A DANCE will be held by the BRITISH LEGION on Nov. 11th, 1922, (Armistice Night) at the City Hall.

Members and their friends can obtain tickets (\$4 each) from the undersigned who have kindly consented to assist.

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The surplus proceeds will be handed over to the British Relief Fund.

H. K. HOLMES,  
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, October 14, 1922.

**NATIONAL 8% SHORT TERM BOND ISSUE OF THE 11TH YEAR OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC. (1922). \$10,000,000.**

WITH reference to previous notices informing the public that the undersigned has been entrusted by the Chinese Government with the service of the Loan and that it will be conducted in all respects on the same lines as the service of the 7th Year Short Term Bond Issue of 1918; SUBSCRIBERS to the above Loan are hereby notified that the definitive Bonds are now ready and may be had from the Bank of China on production of their Provisional Scrip.

The denominations and numbers of the Bonds are as follows—  
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The above Bonds have been checked by representatives of the National Loans Bureau, the Audit Department, the Bank of China, and the Inspector General of Customs, who have also witnessed the destruction of the stones from which the Bonds were printed.

F. A. AGLEN,  
Inspector General of Customs,  
Inspectorate General of Customs,  
Peking, October 19, 1922.

**ESTATE OF THE LATE T. O. WILKEN.**

ALL Outstanding Accounts in connection with the above estate should be sent at once to the undersigned c/o "China Mail" office.  
G. W. C. BURNETT,  
Hongkong, September 22, 1922.

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THE FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the Company, St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 9th November, 1922, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ended 30th September 1922, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company, will be closed from TUESDAY, the 31st October, 1922 until THURSDAY, the 9th November 1922, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, October 10, 1922.

**NOTICE.**

TAKE NOTICE that on the 1st November, 1922, the "PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY" will change their name to "THE ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE, INC." under which latter name the business will be continued as heretofore.

Dated this 25th day of October, 1922.

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Entries close Saturday, 4th November, 1922.

Hongkong, October 25, 1922.

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FU HING CHING,  
Manager,  
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October 26, 1922.

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**NOTICE.**

The Subscription List will open on MONDAY, the 30th day of October, 1922, and close on or before SATURDAY, the 4th day of November, 1922.

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Of the above shares 50,000 have already been subscribed for cash by the Directors and their friends. On these \$250 per share will be paid on allotment and the balance when called up on the same basis as the remaining capital. Of the remainder 45,000 shares ranking equally with those already subscribed are now offered for public subscription payable as to \$2.50 per share on application. The balance due on each share, viz., \$7.50 will not be called up at present but is to be called up on subsequent demand and when further capital is required.

The Directors are allotting 500 shares credited as fully paid up under the terms of the contract set forth in paragraph (a) hereto and are reserving 4,500 shares unissued in order that they may in their discretion allot them for cash on such terms and at such time or times as they may deem advisable (on the same basis as the other shares issued for cash) to such of the employees of the Company as they think fit if each employee is desirous of subscribing for the shares or to any other person or persons the Directors may from time to time determine.

**DIRECTORS:**

Dr. J. W. Noble, Peak Hotel, Hongkong, Dental Surgeon.  
Robert Gordon Shewan, Esq., St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, Merchant.

The Hon. Mr. C. Montague Ede, Queen's Building, Victoria, General Manager of the Union Insurance Society of Canton Limited.

The Reverend Father H. Souvey, Pecunia Generale des Missions Etrangeres, Acting Procurator General.

Two Further Directors will be appointed by the Board after allotment.

**BANKERS.**

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**AUDITORS.**

Messrs. Love, Bingham & Matthews, Victoria, Accountants.

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The Company has acquired as a going concern as from the 15th day of September, 1922 the business of Louis Giau, of St. George's Buildings, Victoria, Hongkong Architect, Civil Engineer, Consulting and Structural Engineer and Reinforced Concrete Expert, the purchase price for which will be paid and satisfied by the allotment to him of Five hundred shares of the Company credited as fully paid up. Of these Four hundred and fifty shares are for the goodwill of the said business. The contract for the acquisition of this business is dated the 21st day of October, 1922, and made between the said Louis Giau of the one part and Walter John Hawker as Trustees for the Company of the other part. A copy of this contract can be inspected at the office of the Solicitors to the Company at any time during business hours.

The Company has entered into contracts to secure the services of experts in reinforced concrete work.

(2) The minimum subscription on which the Directors may proceed to allotment is seven shares.

(3) The shares now offered for subscription have been underwritten by the Directors and Sir Cathick Paul Chater, Knt. C.M.G., and Mr. James Harper Taggart for a commission at the rate of Two per cent. on the amount thereof in proportion to the shares taken by them for which they have subscribed the Memorandum of Association and such commission is payable by the Company.

(4) No other commission or promotion money will be paid by the Company.

(5) The Company is to pay the preliminary expenses of and incident to the formation and floating of the Company down to the time when it becomes entitled to commence business and the estimated amount thereof is \$5,000.

(6) The Articles of Association provide that the qualification of a Director is to be the holding of 1,000 shares in the Company and that the remuneration of each of the Directors is to be \$1,000 per annum.

(7) The Directors are interested in the promotion of the Company, to the extent only that they or some of them are Directors of other companies with whom the Company may do business.

(8) Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company can be inspected at the office of Messrs. Deacon, Leaker, Deacon & Harston, Solicitors for the Company at any time during business hours.

(9) A copy of the Company's Memorandum of Association is annexed to the prospectus and forms part of it.

(10) Application for shares should be made upon the form accompanying the prospectus and sent to the Company's Bankers together with a remittance of \$2.50 per share the amount of the deposit.

Where no allotment is made the deposit will be returned in full and where the number of shares allotted is less than the number applied for a proportionate amount of the deposit will be returned.

(11) Prospectuses can be inspected at and forms of application obtained from the Company's Bankers; the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation and at and from the temporary office of the Company in Rowell's Building, Des Vaux Road, Central, Hongkong.

This prospectus has been duly filed with the Registrar of Companies.

Dated the 28th day of October, 1922.

**EARLIER TELEGRAMS.**

(Reader's Service to The China Mail.)

**UNITED STATES AND EUROPE.**

NEW YORK, October 28th.  
A feature of the speeches at a Convention of the American Manufacturers' and Export Association was the emphasis laid on the fact that United States' development of greater demand for its products in North America and Asia would not alone suffice to restore prosperity, because these countries were unable to buy from America as long as Europe was unable to buy their products. The Convention passed a resolution recommending the United States Chamber of Commerce to call an international conference of business men to discuss the inter-Allied debt problem and publish their conclusions.

**PROHIBITION.**

NEW YORK, October 28th.  
Judge Hand, of the United States Federal Court, has dismissed the suits of certain American shipping lines for an injunction against Attorney-General Daugherty's ruling. Judge Hand declared that American vessels could not carry or sell liquor in any part of the world.

WASHINGTON, October 28th.  
The State Department has ordered the release of the Canadian schooner *Emerald* which was seized a week ago outside the three mile limit, on the ground that the seizure was a violation of President Harding's policy.

**AMUNDSEN'S EXPEDITION.**

CHRISTIANIA, October 28th.  
The *Afropost* hopes that the Norwegian scientists who are wirelessly collaborating with Capt. Amundsen's ship, the *Maud*, have not realized that only a few messages have been received since October 15th, instead of daily as expected.

**TERRIFIC AMSTERDAM EXPLOSION.**

LONDON, October 29th.  
A message from Amsterdam states that 5,000 kilograms of munitions were exploded at 5.30, yesterday. Only slight damage resulted, principally to windows. As the wind was blowing north-northeast the report was heard near Utrecht, seventy miles distant.  
Listeners in England do not appear to have detected the sound.

**HOME FOOTBALL.**

SHANGHAI, October 29th.  
Following are Saturday's League Football results. In each case the home team is listed first—

FIRST DIVISION.	
Ararat.....	1 Newcastle United.....2
Bolton Wanderers.....	3 Aston Villa.....0
Birmingham.....	2 Middlesex.....0
Blackburn Rovers.....	2 Burnley.....1
Cardiff City.....	3 Liverpool.....0
Sunderland.....	1 Chelsea.....2
Swansea.....	1 Nottingham F.....1
Huddersfield, F.....	0 Oldham.....0
Manchester C.....	2 Preston, N.E.....1
Sheff. United.....	0 Sheffield Utd.....0
Stockport.....	1 Tottenham H.....1
West Bromwich A.....	2 Tottenham H.....1
SECOND DIVISION.	
Accrington.....	1 Hamilton A.....0
Aldershot.....	1 Aldershot.....1
Alloa.....	2 Hibernians.....1
Ayr United.....	1 Morton.....0
Celtic.....	1 Rangers.....3
Derby.....	1 Falkirk.....1
Doncaster.....	1 Third Lanark.....1
Grimsby.....	1 Grimsby.....1
Harrogate.....	0 Dundee.....3
St. Mirren.....	2 Kilmarnock.....0

**FASCISTI.**

Rome, October 28th.  
The day passed off very quietly, the military authorities, as a precaution, protecting all approaches to bridges.  
It is stated that the troops have been ordered to prevent the entry into Rome of Fascist elements. The parties of Fascists which were marching on Rome from Pisa, Florence, and Leghorn have been arrested, and a complete stoppage of railway traffic has been ordered, while depots are strongly guarded. Carabinieri and cavalry are patrolling the streets.  
It is reported from Cremona that a party of Fascists who attempted to seize the Prefecture were driven out by soldiers. Four Fascists were killed.

Pavia, October 28th.  
Advices from Rome state that the situation in Tuscany has suddenly become worse. This is due to the Fascists beginning concerted action. The Fascists, despite the resistance of the Carabinieri, have occupied the Post Office at Florence and are in possession of the barracks.

Savona, October 28th.  
Important concentrations of Fascists, who have announced their intention of marching on Rome, are reported from Pisa, Pistoja and Leghorn. In other districts, communications are interrupted.

Rome, October 28th.  
Martial Law has been proclaimed throughout Italy, taking effect from mid-day to day.

Rome, October 28th.  
The Cabinet, which has been in permanent session since yesterday evening, have issued a statement, signed by all the Ministers, declaring their intention to steadfastly maintain public order and uphold free institutions in face of insurrectionary movement.

Rome, October 28th.  
It is semi-officially announced that in consequence of the improvement in the situation the Government have rescinded the martial law proclamation.

Rome, October 28th.  
An explanation of the rescission of martial law is afforded in a statement in the newspapers to the effect that the King refused to sign the decree.

The Cabinet is still sitting and all was quiet here at dusk, but the authorities, as a precaution have stopped the transport of other traffic in running. A number of Fascists demonstrated before the Quirinal and acclaimed His Majesty.

All is reported quiet in the provinces except in a few cases where the Fascists are occupying public offices. The only report of bloodshed is from Cremona.



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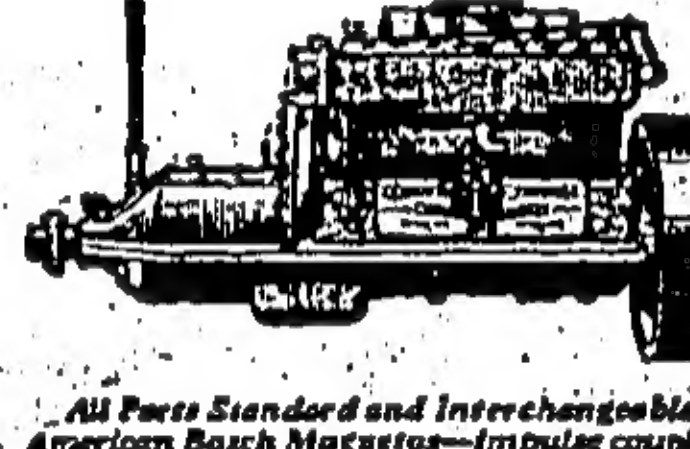
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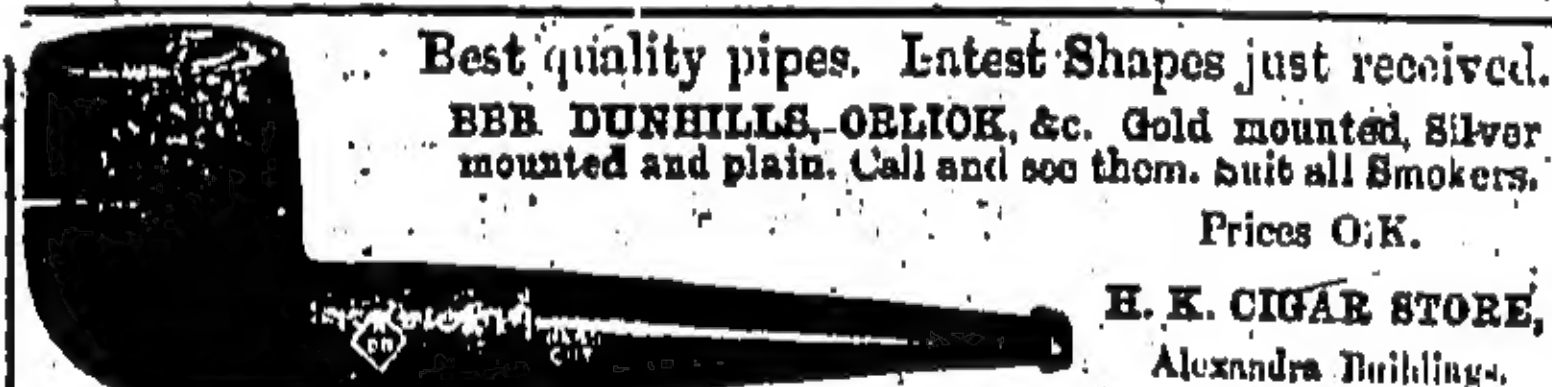
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## BIRTHS.

**LITTLE**.—On October 23, 1922, at Shanghai, the wife of H. Martin Little, of a son.  
**SUTHERLAND**.—On October 21, 1922, at Shanghai, the wife of Mr. A. P. Sutherland, a daughter.  
**HONNIBALL**.—On October 21, 1922, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. George Honniball, a daughter.

## MARRIAGE.

**WILSON—HUME**.—At the Peak Church on 28th October by The Revd. H. Copley Moyle, Norval Charles, second son of the Very Revd. John Skinner Wilson D.D. and Mrs. Wilson, Strathgairn, Perthshire, to Dorothy Angela, third daughter of H. D. Hume Esq. and Mrs. Hume, Vancouver B.C.

The China Mail.  
"TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE"

HONGKONG, MONDAY, OCT. 30, 1922.

## CRIME.

Crime is as old as civilization itself, never will it entirely disappear while human nature remains human nature. Stimulate necessity and there is passion. Subdue passion and there is opportunity. Remove opportunity and there is still depravity. Every big city knows it must expect a certain percentage of crime. When the big city has a large population

alien to its rulers, it knows this percentage will be proportionately higher. In fighting crime, Hongkong's police authorities have special difficulties which local conditions make it impossible ever entirely to remove. However, it requires no careful analysis of the Colony's crime returns to show that the rate here is too high—much too high.

Consequently, it is gratifying to learn from Thursday's budget debate in the Legislative Council that unofficial members appreciate the necessity for stricter measures if crime in the Colony is to be reduced or even held in check. The Senior Chinese Unofficial Member, the Hon. Mr. Chow Shou-son, urged the Government to increase the number of Chinese detectives, and the Hon. Mr. Ng Hon-tze suggested more patrols. The Hon. Mr. A. R. Lowe and the Hon. Mr. Chow Shou-son both sought to persuade the Government to grant adequate compensation to dependants of Chinese detectives and constables murdered while performing their duty.

Cheaper cheques, advocated by the Hon. Mr. Lowe, and better public lighting, urged by the Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang, both have important bearing on the crime question. The Hon. Mr. E. V. D. Farr queried whether the sentences imposed by our magistrates are sufficient and asked if more frequent use of the "Cat" would not tend to deter cowardly crime like snatching from women. He also thought the Government should seize the opportunity presented by the

disbandment of the Royal Irish Constabulary to double the number of men from this force the Colony now possesses.

Replying to these suggestions, the Acting Governor said the Government was considering the compensation question and honorable members could "rest assured that where men risk their lives and are killed in the performance of their duties the Government recognizes that their families should not suffer by their deaths." Answering the Hon. Mr. Chow Shou-son's observations on the danger from smuggling arms and ammunition, the Colonial Secretary emphasized the Government's difficulty, faced on the one hand by "an insistent demand on the part of the shipping companies for less rigorous measures against their ships and on the other by similarly insistent demands frequently made in this chamber and elsewhere on the part of the Chinese representatives that less rigorous measures should be enforced as regards the search of property, persons and houses."

Referring to the police force generally, the Hon. Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher said he considered that "under its able and efficient officers our police force maintains a standard of zeal and efficiency second to none," adding: "As regards its present conditions of service, in pay, leave and pension, these, I venture to think, compare favourably with those of any other police force in any other part of the world." Several suggestions were made that the European strength of the police force should be further increased, and answering them Mr. Fletcher was very cautious. "It is a matter which requires careful consideration," it involves large expense, not only in salary but also in housing accommodation which cannot be provided in a day and the Government think it advisable to hasten slowly.

The problem is very difficult and the solution does not lie in one remedy. Increased police strength, sterner sentences, better lighting, cheaper cheques, stronger public opinion—these and other forces will each help to combat crime, but not one alone can hope to have any marked effect. Concerted action is necessary. Let the Government carefully mature its plans and then let it launch an organized campaign against crime, using every means within its power to the utmost. Let it but once strike terror into the heart of the criminal here and it will find it comparatively easy thereafter to "keep him guessing," fearful of the next move and fearful of his fate should he be caught.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

"Sunshine Alley," which reveals Mac Marsh is a particularly charming role, is to-day's attraction at the Coronet.

The jazz band of the a.s. "President Jefferson" will play at tomorrow night's special dance at the Kowloon Theatre.

The Russian Follies gave a successful performance at the Kowloon Theatre last night and are appearing again this afternoon and evening.

On Armistice Day, Saturday November 11, there will be a special service at St. John's Cathedral at 10.40 a.m., when the Bishop will preach and His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government will be present.

The "two bells" above Miyazaki were very active on Saturday last, says the *Japan Chronicle*, and the smell of sulphur was very realistic. There was such a violent eruption that some of the public baths were damaged, and for a time there was almost a panic among the bath house interests. However, all was reported quiet later on, and the hot springs are not overdoing it any longer.

The Reading Circle of the Helena May Institute will begin its Winter Course on Thursday, November 2nd at 10.30 a.m. when Professor Simpson will read a paper on "The Plays of John Galsworthy." On the following Thursday the members will read Galsworthy's play "Justice," and other meetings will be held on November 16th, 23rd, 30th and December 7th at the same hour. Anyone who is interested in the work of the Reading Circle is cordially invited to attend any of its meetings.

## SEIZED ARMS.

## UNEMPLOYED AUSTRALIAN CHARGED.

Following the seizure of arms in the King Edward Hotel Owen James Smith, an unemployed Australian, was charged before Mr. E. W. Hamilton this morning, with the unlawful possession, on October 24, of four revolvers, one automatic pistol and 2,112 rounds of ammunition without permit from the Captain Superintendent of Police. He was further charged with having aided and abetted one William Pitts, to import into the Colony 51 revolvers, 9 Mausers, 2 Savage rifles, and 2,380 rounds of ammunition.

The case will be heard on Friday. Bail was allowed in the sum of \$1,000.

## PALACE HOTEL ARREST.

In connection with the seizure of arms at the Palace Hotel, Kowloon, a Chinese named Kwong Chui, who was dressed in European costume, was charged before Mr. R. E. Lindsell this morning, on a charge of having imported into the Colony one revolver and 300 rounds of ammunition without a permit from the Captain Superintendent of Police.

Mr. Leo d'Almada, who appeared for the defence, objected to another remand. He said that the police had already had five days in which to prepare their case. That was ample time.

Sergeant Andrew said the police expected to get another man in the course of the next couple of days.

Mr. d'Almada said that the defendant was given bail in the sum of \$500. He was merely passing through the Colony, and it was not fair to detain him here so long.

The Magistrate decided to remand the case until Friday, and if by then the police were not prepared to proceed with the case, he would discharge the defendant.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## "THE DANGERS OF THE COMMUNION CUP"

[To the Editor of the "China Mail"]

Sir,—The extraordinary statements (or cuttings) provided by your presumably clerical correspondent each Saturday, have ere this been the subject of some comment. I pass over the logic of his remarks regarding the alleged bacteriological dangers of the Communion Cup which can probably be answered by a medical man. If I read the meanderings of the Clerical pen, right on the dogmatic assertions he makes, I take them to mean he is a believer in the superstitious notion of what is called Transubstantiation. If that is so, and again assuming your correspondent is an ordained Priest of the Church of England, will he kindly say how he reconciles such beliefs with Article 28 of his Church?

Yours, etc.,  
ENQUIRER.

Hongkong, October 30.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A clear bill of health was returned for Saturday and Sunday.

A Chinese woman was knocked down in Nathan Road, Kowloon, yesterday, by a pair of horses driven by a Sepoy of the K. E. O. Grenadiers. She received injuries which required hospital treatment.

Mei Lan Fang, "the King of the Chinese stage," now performing nightly at the Taiping Theatre has received a threatening letter demanding \$500.00. Special protection has been accorded him by the Police.

To-day is the anniversary of the entry of the Kwangtung Army into Canton after the Kwangsi militarists had been expelled by Chen Chiung-ming. The Canton public offices are closed but the mercantile community is not observing the holiday.

The arms seized in the Palace Hotel on Friday were not found in consequence of a police raid. They were discovered by a room boy who informed the proprietor, Mr. Oxberry. A telephone message from Mr. Oxberry brought the police to the hotel.

Q.M.S. Ashwell, of the King's Regiment was charged before Mr. E. W. Hamilton this morning, by a Chinese named Leong Kam, with assault. In view of the conflicting nature of the evidence, the Magistrate decided he could not convict. Discharging the defendant, Mr. Hamilton said: "I don't know what sort of a fool you made of yourself. You know better than I what it was, but I am not satisfied with the evidence of these people, therefore you can go."

## CHINESE BOXING.

## ANCIENT AND MODERN FORMS.

In view of the fact that the garden scene at Government House on November 1st to include an exhibition of Chinese boxing and fencing, many of our readers will probably be interested to know something of this art as practised in ancient and modern times. The following account has been supplied by a local Chinese scholar of no mean repute.

The art of "Kai Kik," which includes dexterity in wielding sword, spear and knife, as well as skill in the use of fists and feet, this peculiarly Chinese form of what we may call Chinese boxing and fencing, has a history dating back to the period of the "Warring States," some three centuries before the Christian era. It was developed in the succeeding dynasties of Tsun and Hon. A certain Tsai Man is commemorated in the history of the Hon Dynasty as being a famous exponent of the art, and the men of the Tsai state are said to have greatly esteemed such skill. In the province of Ho Nam is an ancient temple called Shiu Lam Tsz, whose priests and acolytes in days gone by were continually engaged in exercises of this nature. Thirteen of them won fame as boxers and fencers when they helped the emperor Tsai Tsung, of the Tung dynasty, to subdue the rebellious Wong Shai-ch'ung in the early part of the 7th Century, and established a traditional "school" of the art known as the "Shiu Lam Pai."

It is clear that in those days a real military value was attached to skill in "Kai Kik," but later with the development of firearms the art became neglected as a practical field of martial endeavour. Transplanted to Japan, however, it doubtless became the historical parent of Judo or Jujutsu.

But although the Chinese expert may have lost his military importance, the practice of the art has persisted, partly perhaps as a form of self-culture and partly as a pastime for boys and men. In very recent Republican days, indeed, there are not wanting signs that the practice has been deliberately recognised as tending to stimulate a militaristic spirit, but this is not the place to touch on certain modern aspects of Chinese social life.

The writer has pleasant recollections of many a spirited exhibition of "boxing" given by village boys in the New Territories. In certain villages there, between the 10th day of the 7th moon and the 9th day of the 9th moon, performances of "Stippling the Toad" take place. Three or four boys lie face downward on the ground while others sit round them and chant the refrain—

Little Toads and King Toads  
Higgledy Piggledy  
Into the Lotus Pond  
In they go.  
Break the branches, break the reeds;  
There come the toads! I don't know.

Jumping on the toad-throne to con their books.

What the meaning of this nursery rhyme is, the writer cannot say, but the chant invokes the spirits of ancient fighting-men, ancient masters of boxing and fencing, and it must be kept up till the boys lying face downwards become as it were mesmerized. Their "heart goes," and passes beneath the earth by way of the Fairy Bridge. When the heart has gone, the invoked spirit enters, the symptom being a coldness of the feet and a violent trembling of the body. The master of the ceremonies thereupon cries out "Master, up and perform!" "If he did not call this out, no medium would ever get up. He must on no account utter the boys' real names as this would at once restore them to consciousness. The assumption throughout is that each medium becomes a 'tongue' or 'stuffed,' and that all his actions when in this state are involuntary, dictated by the spirit of the dead master. Jumping up, then they proceed to box with fists and feet. After a minute of this they are told to sit, and then they may smoke but on no account drink tea. Then, still sitting, they sing a song, some ancient song, that their dead masters used to sing, and then they perform a kind of sword stick exercise with long thin bamboo poles. On one occasion one boy accidentally hanged another on the head, and the instant reproach sound of extremely like an everyday exclamation of a Yang Tsai of the Old Master, and not at all like the grave utterance of an ancient boxing master.

Really, their real names are cried in a loud voice, and the mesmerized boys awake. The role of medium is said to be very exhausting and only possible for those with "yang" organs, eyes expressive of the female principle or passivity. "But what exactly is this focusing and boxing?" you will explain. The writer here must make a note, except to say, "Go to the Ministering Children's bazaar next Saturday and see for yourself."

## OUR FOOD SUPPLY.

## ARMED CONVOYS FOR RIVER JUNKS.

About eighty per cent of the poultry and cattle imported into Hongkong comes from Wuchow. Owing to unsettled conditions in Kwangsi province shipments have been fewer and irregular. The supplies that have arrived during the last two months have come from points on the West River below Wuchow. The amount of poultry has not been too plentiful and there was a scarcity of veal last week. General Lan Tsun-wan, commander of the 1st Kwangsi Division, has inaugurated a system of convoys for traffic between Wuchow and Nanning. Hitherto live-stock had to be sent to Wuchow by land routes. The owners had to pay levies to the robbers for protection and on reaching Wuchow the military authorities collected another tax prior to shipment. The present arrangement is that armed launches convey the junks between Wuchow and Nanning. Each junk has to pay \$100 for a trip and there are as many as from thirty to forty junks in each convoy. The motor-launches plying on the West River also carry passengers who have to pay \$1,000 a trip for the same kind of protection. The merchants have readily agreed to the scheme as they previously had to pay both the militarists and all the robber bands. It previously cost a motor-launch nearly \$2,000 per trip in levies. Now it remains to be seen whether General Lan's protection will be sufficiently effective to render the convoys immune from the robbers' attacks.

## PACKING UP THEIR TROUBLES.

## SATURDAY'S ANCIENT CHINESE CEREMONY.

Saturday was the 9th day of the 9th moon. This is known as the Chung Young Festival and is observed by the majority of Chinese here by making an outing to the Peak. The festival's origin is more or less obscure, but a few thousand years ago, a very learned man, Chai Wun Kung, was beset by many troubles and on the 9th day of the 9th moon ascended a mountain and devoted himself to worship. His example has been handed down and the express object of the outing, or "Dung Go" as it is called by the Chinese, is to get rid of one's troubles. As the Chinese graves are almost invariably on hill-sides, the more devout observers use the opportunity to pay their respects to their ancestors.

Saturday witnessed the usual visits to the Peak. Most of the women carried jars worshipping paraphernalia while the younger folk carried kites to be flown away. They believed that all sorrows and worries depart with the kite.

During the last few years, the schools in Hongkong and Canton have observed the day as Parents' Day. The scholars wear two red flowers if both parents are alive, one red and one white if one parent is living and two white flowers if both parents are dead.

## LOCAL WEDDING.

## WILSON—HUME.

Mr. Norval Charles Wilson, acting manager of the Mercantile Bank of India in Hongkong, was married at the Peak Church, on Saturday, to Miss Dorothy Angela Hume, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hume, of Vancouver, B.C. The bride was given away by Mr. Harry Hancock. Miss Nancy Hornell attended the bride as a flower girl and Mr. J. B. Ross fulfilled the duties of "best man." The Rev. H. Copley Moyle was the officiating clergyman. After the ceremony a reception was held at No. 109, The Peak.

## INTERPORT CRICKET.

## HONGKONG v SHANGHAI.

The following have been chosen up to date by the Selection Committee to represent Hongkong: R. Hancock, T. E. Pearce, Capt Davies, Capt Oliver, E. B. Reed, L. J. Davies, G. R. Sayer and C. J. Stapleton. The remaining three places will be filled after next Saturday's game. The Interport match will be played on November 10, 11 and 13.

## MORE ARMS.

## OVER FIFTY PISTOLS ON LOCAL STEAMER.

Sub-Inspector Fallon searched the s.s. "Kwangtung" on her arrival here yesterday, and seized 53 Mausers and 5,000 rounds of ammunition found concealed in the after part of the ship. No arrest was made.

## FUKIEN POSITION.

## COMPLICATED SITUATION EXPLAINED.

The situation in Fukien is more complex than ever. Side issues have been brought in and new factions have been introduced. Originally, the trouble started because Hsu Shung-chi the commander of Dr. Sun's Northern Expedition, persisted in invading the province to form an expedition to attack Kwangtung. A Fukien division commander, Wong Wing-chuen, sympathised with Hsu and this culminated in the Tachin, Li How-ki, being driven from Foochow.

At first, it was reported that Li had taken refuge on a Japanese warship. It is authoritatively stated that this is not so. Li boarded the Cruiser "Chookwan," the flagship of Admiral Shah Chen-ping, and is now virtually a prisoner on the ship. Significance is attached to Hsu Shung-chang, otherwise "Little Hsu," joining the pro-Sun camp. Hsu is the right hand man of Tuan Chi-jui, the chief of the Anfuites. It will be remembered that Dr. Sun came to an understanding with Tuan before he was crushed by Wu Pei-fu. Admiral Shah has been appointed Governor of the province by the Peking Government. Although he occupies the Yamen he has made no effort to oust the Hsus. Shah has all along adopted a conservative policy and it is difficult to say whether his sympathies are with the North or South. He controls the warships in Fukien but has no land forces. Meanwhile, General Chen Chiung-ming is viewing with considerable alarm the developments in the neighbouring province. Any success on Hsu's part will not augur well for him. Reports from Canton state that he is desirous of personally leading an expedition against Hsu, but the unsettled conditions in Kwangtung will probably occupy all his attention.

The fighting at Foochow seems to have ceased temporarily although business is still at a standstill. Apparently, there is trouble around Amoy. The U.S.S. "Helena" has been sent there to protect foreign interests. It seems that one of Li How-ki's subordinates, Koo Chen-jung, retired from Amoy on the approach of Hsu's troops and the local bandits have been active. An unconfirmed report has reached Canton to the effect that Hsu's troops are in occupation of Amoy. Another report says that Chen Chiung-ming and Koo have made an arrangement with the Kiangsi Taoists to attack Foochow simultaneously. Koo's troops will form the vanguard and Chen will send 12,000 Kwangtung troops to form the second line, while two divisions of Kiangsi troops will attack from the west.

There also seems to be some disagreement in the pro-Sun camp. Wong Wing-chuen the Fukien leader, who went over to the Hsus, has called a meeting of the influential men of Foochow and announced to them that he would support Admiral Shah who is a native of the province.

With several factions struggling for supremacy, it is difficult to anticipate the trend events will take. However, the results will not be confined to Fukien. The neighbouring provinces will be affected, and all parts of the country are eagerly awaiting developments.

## CANTON NEWS.

## FOREIGN LOAN'S PROSPECT DOUBTFUL.

The *Tai Kwong Po* states that although the Provincial Assembly has ratified the draft agreement, the loan will not go through as opposition has arisen in American quarters. The financial shortage is very acute. Another drop has been registered in the quotations of the notes. The 51 notes are worth 53/64% and the higher denominations are worth 62 1/2/64%.

## MARTIAL LAW.

As a result of the disturbed conditions and the recent bomb outrage, martial law has been declared in Canton. No vehicles or pedlars are permitted outside the Commander in Chief's Yamen. The following districts have been especially marked out for increased vigilance, and in them all ships, junks, trains &c. will be searched, viz.—Nam Kong, Bak Yin Tong, Sai Chuen, Kong Chuen and Hsuan.

Northern papers report that a coal famine is threatened in Peking. The price of coal has gone up, and should, they think, prove specially cold if it is as bad as there may not be enough of the cheap quality to go round.







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## SPORT.

## FOOTBALL.

## SATURDAY'S GAMES.

There was a heavy league football programme on Saturday afternoon, and everywhere—at Happy Valley, Sookampoo, and Kowloon—large crowds were present to watch their favourite teams in action. As usual, the record crowds were attracted by the South China teams. Four games were decided in connection with the first division of the Hongkong Football League, and five in the second division. The games resulted as follows—

## 1ST DIVISION.

Kowloon ..... 4 R.G.A. .... 3  
"Tamar" ..... 0 King's ..... 0  
"Ambrose" ..... 3 Police ..... 1  
Club ..... 2 South China ..... 0

2ND DIVISION.  
King's Res. .... 11 South China "A" ..... 0  
United A.C. .... 2 Police Res. .... 3  
R.G.A. Res. .... 4 Kowloon Res. .... 3  
St. Joseph's ..... 8 Warders ..... 0  
South China "B" ..... 3 University ..... 1

## KOWLOON v. R.G.A.

This game at Sookampoo was well worth watching. It was very evenly contested, and the Kowloonites just managed to snatch the victory, after a strenuous fight, by the odd goal in seven. Both ends of the field were visited in rapid succession, but for a while the defence held their own. On one or two occasions the forwards managed to get in, but they failed badly in front of goal. The goalkeepers at both ends were also in form and had no difficulty in dealing with the team shots which came their way.

After about a quarter of an hour's play, Kowloon drew first blood through Brown heading the ball past Phillips following a loft shot from Coombes. Townsend came in for a lot of work after this but managed to keep the ball out. Green was persistent however, and eventually managed to get the equalizer just before half time. The second half was just as strenuously contested but the forwards made a lot of mistakes in the opening stages. The Gunners drew ahead through a fine breakaway by Green, who passing when well in, allowed Mollugh to run into the goal with the ball. A few minutes later Brown equalised for Kowloon. Hall and Coombes gave the side a lead of 2 goals after five minutes' dog-dog play. The Gunners missed a penalty, but soon afterwards were awarded another, and this time Pasco made no mistake.

## KING'S v. "TAMAR"

A win was anticipated for the King's but the "Tamar" men put up a stiff struggle and played them to a goalless draw. The forwards worked hard, but the goalies saved everything, on several occasions not without a lucky touch. It was the best match of the afternoon and well worth watching.

## CLUB v. CHINESE

The Chinese put up a strenuous fight against the Club and kept their goal for a good while, but gradually the Club asserted their superiority and

scoring twice without reply, secured a very popular victory. Rodgers had a lot to do with the Club's victory by his excellent goal keeping. The goal scorers were Valentine and Begg.

## "AMBROSE" v. POLICE

The Police team have improved considerably with a little more practice, but not sufficiently to hold the "Ambrose" men. They went down by 3 goals to 1. Harper and Hood scored in the first half, while Valentine who was playing a hard game for the Police put in their only goal.

Harper added the Sailor's third goal in the second half. Valentine continued to play an excellent game but he was too well marked to become dangerous. Swan was a tower of strength in the Police goal.

The R.G.A. and the Kowloon were the only two teams to put up an even struggle in the second division matches, and the gunners just won by 4 goals to 3.

The other matches were one sided, overwhelmingly so in the case of King's v. South China "A" (11-0) and St. Joseph's v. Warders (8-0).

## CRICKET.

## INTERPORT TRIAL.

## HOND BATTING.

Another interport trial match was played on the H.K.C.C. ground on Saturday between teams captained by R.H.B. Hancock and A. E. Wood respectively. It was again a batsmen's game, the most noteworthy features of which were the fine displays of Hancock and C. I. Stapleton. They put up a big partnership, and the spectators were treated to an excellent exhibition of class cricket. Hancock scored 74, including a century, and Stapleton played the bowlers comfortably until he lifted Rumjahn's first tricky slow ball and was caught by Owen-Hughes. Pearce opened well, his characteristic interport style and had had him in being dismissed when he appeared set for a long stay. Oliver was, as usual, a very consistent player and contributed a useful 36. Rev. Quick improved considerably with one of the prettiest stands of the match. He scored 30. The side declared at 267 for eight wickets after 2½ hours' play. Evans was the only one of nine bowlers who distinguished himself, taking five wickets for 39 runs.

Wood's side put in an hour's batting before the falling light brought the match to an end. It was a slow innings during which only 69 runs were collected. De Krom was the "star" batsman, scoring 42 runs.

## Scores:—

R. HANCOCK'S XI.  
T. E. Pearce, c Reid, b Alexander 24  
Capt. Oliver, c Miller, b Evans 36  
Rev. E. Quick, b Evans 36  
G. R. Sayer, c Lammert, b Evans 5  
R. Hancock, retired 74  
Capt. Fleming, c Wood, b Evans 8  
R. E. A. Webster, b Evans 0  
C. I. Stapleton, c Owen-Hughes, b Rumjahn 60  
Major E. D. Matthews, not out 30  
Capt. Davies, not out 10  
Extras 17

Total (for 8 wickets, dec.) 267

E. B. Reed and L. J. Davies did not bat  
Fall of wickets:—1-42, 2-83, 3-99, 4-108, 5-132, 6-140, 7-244, 8-257.

## Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.  
D. Reid ..... 5 1 24 0  
C. F. Alexander ..... 10 1 50 1  
H. Owen Hughes ..... 12 2 42 0  
B. D. Evans ..... 12 2 39 5  
Capt. Dods ..... 6 0 32 0  
E. G. Lammert ..... 6 1 17 0  
L. Bacon ..... 3 0 17 0  
F. J. de Rome ..... 3 0 19 0  
A. A. Rumjahn ..... 1 0 10 1

## A. E. WOOD'S XI.

E. J. R. Mitchell, c Hancock, b Capt. Davies ..... 5  
F. J. de Rome, c Davies, b Quick 42  
Lieut. Bacon, b Reid ..... 12  
A. A. Rumjahn, c Davies, b Capt. Davies ..... 12  
Capt. Dods, not out ..... 8  
R. T. Taylor, c Muskett, b Abbas 10  
A. E. Wood, not out ..... 1  
Extras ..... 10  
Total (for 4 wickets) ..... 69

H. Owen-Hughes, B. D. Evans, E. G. Lammert, C. F. Alexander, D. Reid did not bat.  
Fall of wickets:—1-13, 2-32, 3-57, 4-63.

## Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.  
Capt. Davies ..... 13 4 57 2  
E. B. Reed ..... 10 3 16 1  
Rev. E. Quick ..... 5 1 8 1  
R. E. A. Webster ..... 2 0 9 0

## FRIENDLY MATCHES.

## CIVIL SERVICE "A"

Played on Saturday on the Civil Service ground and won by the home

team by 55 runs to 23.  
Scores:—  
CIVIL SERVICE "A."  
Sandford, b C. Earnshaw ..... 0  
Baker, b Watt ..... 0  
Gill, c Muskett, b C. Earnshaw ..... 0  
Ling, b C. Earnshaw ..... 19  
Greaveson, b Watt ..... 7  
Dunkley, b C. Earnshaw ..... 0  
Alderman, b C. Earnshaw ..... 11  
Cullip, not out ..... 4  
Firman, b Watt ..... 9  
Spinks, c Hallam, b C. Earnshaw ..... 1  
White, b W. C. Earnshaw ..... 0  
Eyes ..... 3  
No balls ..... 1  
Total ..... 55

## Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.  
C. Earnshaw ..... 7 0 23 3  
Watt ..... 7 2 23 3

## POLICE C.C.

R. Earnshaw, b Ling ..... 8  
Watt, played on Ling ..... 0  
Elwood, c Spinks, b Ling ..... 0  
C. Earnshaw, b Baker ..... 0  
Thorpe, b Baker ..... 0  
Muskett, b Baker ..... 4  
Wilson, c Sandford, b Baker ..... 2  
Hallam, not out ..... 2  
Lieut. Thornton, b Ling ..... 0  
Byes ..... 0  
Total ..... 23

## Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.  
Ling ..... 4 2 10 4  
Baker ..... 3 0 13 4

## H.K.C.C. 2ND v. C.R.C.

Played on the Club ground on Saturday, and resulted in a draw.

## Scores:—

H.K.C.C. 2ND  
W. W. Mackenzie, b Chung ..... 1  
M. M. Watson, b Hung ..... 0  
G. H. Piercy, c S. C. Wong, b Chung ..... 23  
W. Galloway, c Hung ..... 12  
F. H. Pentecost, c H. Ahwee, b Hung ..... 62  
D. E. G. Nicholson, not out ..... 24  
J. D. Humphreys, c M. W. Lo, b T. Wong ..... 31  
H. E. Hollander, c M. W. Lo, b Ching ..... 14  
J. D. Crawford, not out ..... 16  
Extras ..... 14  
Total (for 7 wickets, dec.) 174

D. B. Peat and H. Spicer did not bat.  
Fall of wickets:—1-0, 2-16, 3-33, 4-37, 5-41, 6-76, 7-153.

## Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.  
H. Hung ..... 11 1 42 3  
Ching ..... 12 0 46 3  
Wong ..... 3 0 15 1  
Lee ..... 4 0 21 0  
W. Hung ..... 3 0 25 0  
M. K. Lo ..... 1 0 9 0

## C.R.C.

C. Choo, c Humphreys, b Piercy ..... 6  
H. Ahwee, c Watson, b Humphreys ..... 17  
H. C. Hung, b Peat ..... 17  
Wong Sik To, c Galloway, b Piercy ..... 24  
G. Lee, c McKenzie, b Piercy ..... 24  
M. W. Lo, c Watson, b Piercy ..... 6  
J. M. Tan, c M. W. Lo, b Piercy ..... 6  
M. K. Lo, not out ..... 13  
H. Ching, not out ..... 9  
Extras ..... 1  
Total (for 7 wickets) ..... 91

Wong Sik Cheung and W. Hung did not bat.

Fall of wickets:—1-6, 2-12, 3-26, 4-54, 5-56, 6-67, 7-73.

## Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.  
G. H. Piercy ..... 16 5 35 5  
J. D. Humphreys ..... 3 1 16 1  
F. H. Pentecost ..... 5 0 17 0  
J. D. Crawford ..... 5 3 7 0  
D. B. Peat ..... 3 0 12 1

## C.R.C.C. v. C.C.C.

Played on the Craigiepower ground on Saturday, and won by the visitors by 99 runs to 63.

## Scores:—

CIVIL SERVICE.  
C. A. Redpath, b White, b Omar ..... 0  
B. Spillett, b Grimes ..... 14  
A. Cewick, b Omar ..... 2  
E. Fincher, c Marsh, b Mackintosh 39  
A. Grimmett, b Grimes ..... 5  
C. Sara, b Grimes ..... 0  
J. Holdman, b Omar ..... 0  
H. Marjor, c Grimes ..... 0  
R. T. Taylor, c Muskett, b Abbas 10  
W. Hill, not out ..... 1  
W. Woolley, b Mackintosh ..... 4  
Extras ..... 10  
Total ..... 99

## Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.  
U. Omar ..... 9 3 20 3  
A. Paice ..... 5 2 11 0  
T. Grimes ..... 7 1 17 4  
Y. Abbas ..... 5 0 21 1  
C. Anderson ..... 2 0 12 0  
D. Mackintosh ..... 14 0 8 2

## CHATELAIN'S XI.

D. Mackintosh, c and b Grimes ..... 10  
U. Omar, c Holdman, b Sara ..... 5  
Y. Abbas, c Hill, b Grimes ..... 12  
C. A. Anderson, b Sara ..... 0  
Y. L. Marsh, c and b Grimes ..... 0  
T. Grimes, c Redpath, b Sara ..... 11  
A. Paice, c Fincher, b Sara ..... 1  
W. Hill, c Hill, b Sara ..... 1  
Dr. V. Atienza, not out ..... 0

## YACHTING.

## SATURDAY'S OPENING CRUISE.

The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club held its opening cruise, on Saturday afternoon but, from a sporting standpoint, it did not prove the big success it ought to have been if everybody who had entered for an event had turned up to see it through. Football was blamed for most of the defections and in the rowing events it was found impossible to get two four men crews, consequently a race for pairs with lady coxswains was arranged. In one sailing race only four competitors out of thirteen turned up and of the two boats which actually started one sailed the wrong course. The social side of the event was enjoyable enough, however, and on the lawn beside the Club House tea and ice were served, the Hongkong Hotel band providing a pleasant musical programme while.

At the close of the afternoon Mrs. A. R. Lowe, wife of the Club's new Commodore, presented prizes to those who had won them.

The following were the results: Cruisers, English Rig (2 miles).—1, Mr. M. Henderson's Violet (Mr. Henderson); 2, Messrs. Ryan, Ralph and Grist's Norseman (Mr. Ryan); 3, Cruisers Chinese Rig (5 miles).—1, Mr. E. M. Raymond's Lady Jean (Mr. Pearce); 2, Cruisers, Chinese Rig (2 miles).—1, Hon. Mr. Sevrin's Oenone (Mr. Sevrin); 2, Ladies' Handicap (4½ miles).—1, Mr. N. Croucher's Rolla (Miss Logan); 2, Captain T. Arthur's Diana (Mrs. Shenton); 3, One Design Class (4½ miles).—1, Mr. F. R. Smyth's Daphne (Mrs. Blackwell); 2, Mr. J. Grist's Aika (Miss Cornhill); 3, Hayward Hays Class (4 miles).—1, Mr. H. Rouse's Ursula (Mrs. Rouse); 2, Mr. Cook's Sealark (Mrs. Cook); 3, Captain W. Davidson's Adanac (Mrs. Tracy); 4, Gail Class (4 miles).—1, Messrs. D. Ralph and J. Thayer's Toinette (Miss Robertson); 2, Mr. D. H. Blake's Jean (Miss Haynes); 3, Captain G. A. Crawford's Thecla (Mrs. Lamplugh); 4, Rowing.—1, Messrs. D. Logan and A. Lamplugh, (Miss. Logan and Cox) 2 Messrs. McCann and Blackwell, (Mrs. Blackwell, Cox);

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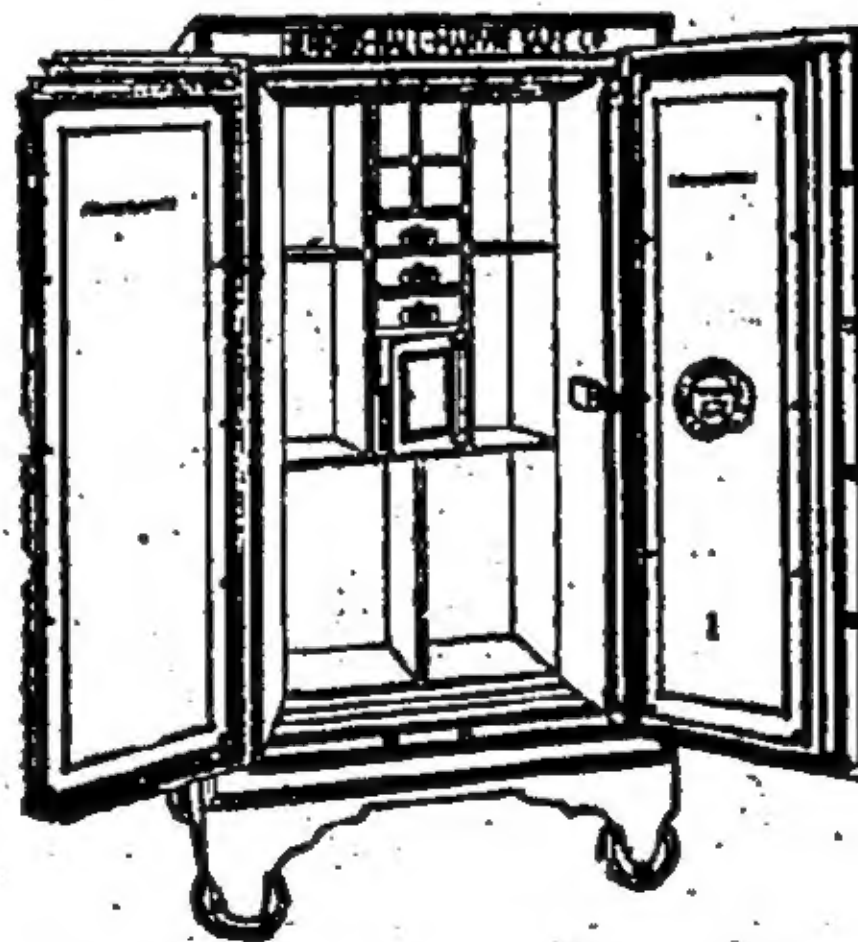


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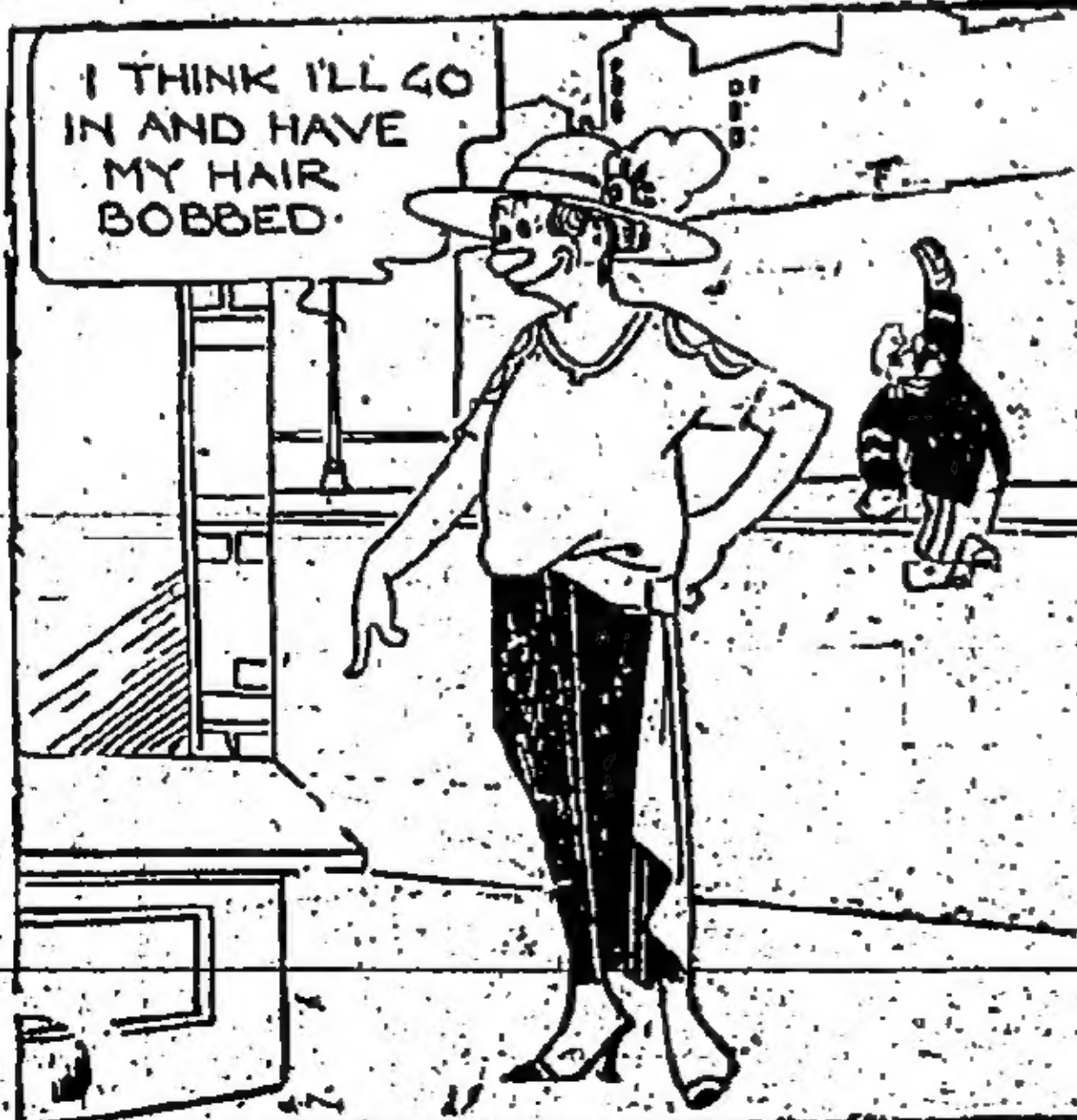
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